

Medford, Oregon Profile

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Demographics¹

Population as of July, 1997: 57,964

Projected 2010 population: 71,110

White: 94.8%

Non-White: 5.2%

Spanish Origin: 5.1%

Age 65 and Over: 17.4%

Age 18 and Under: 25.2%

Politics¹

Mayor: Lindsay Berryman

Chief of Police: Eric Mellgren

City Manager: Michael Dyal

City Council Members:

Curt Bennett, Ward 1

Jim Key, Ward 1

Sal Esquivel, Ward 2

Skip Knight, Ward 2

Matthew Hart, Ward 3

John Michaels, Ward 3

Bill Moore, Ward 4

Bob Strosser, Ward 4

Funding/Budget¹

The overall budget of the City of Medford for FY 1998-99 totals \$82,542,680.

Crime²

Index of Crime, 1997

Crime Index Total	4,745
Violent Crime	250
Property Crime	4,495
Murder	3
Forcible Rape	35
Robbery	41
Aggravated Assault	171
Burglary	623
Larceny-theft	3,662
Motor Vehicle Theft	210

Law Enforcement¹

The Medford Police Department has 91 sworn and 41 non-sworn officers and employees.

Sources used in this report:

¹ City of Medford Web site: <http://www.ci.medford.or.us/index.html>

² U.S. Department of Justice, Federal Bureau of Investigations, *Crime in the United States, 1997*, Uniform Crime Reports, November 1998.

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